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BETTER TRAIN SERVICE NEEDED

For The People Who Wish To Come From Boston To Portsmouth

If the Boston and Maine railroad wants to please its thousands of patrons in this city it will restore the 10 a. m. Boston express and make either the 4.45 or 6 p. m. trains express to Newburyport and the run to Portsmouth in an hour and fifteen minutes.

Portsmouth must provide quicker service for the thousands of visitors and business men in the winter time.

With the arrival of three battleships at the yard in March there will be the officers and their families visiting to and from Boston and points beyond. The train service as to numbers cannot be complained of but the tiresome stops and general slowness of the so-called express trains is where the kick comes. Superintendent Perkins will make a hit with the public by giving Portsmouth a good fast afternoon express.

HALF A MILLION DOLLARS

Is Asked By Roosevelt For Aid To The Earthquaked Italians

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Roosevelt sent a special message to Congress this morning, asking for authority to spend United States money for the aid of the sufferers in the Italian earthquake region.

He requests \$500,000.

The navy department already had two supply ships, one at Suez and the other on the Atlantic ocean, having sailed from New York, which will receive orders by cable at Suez and Gibraltar. Tentative orders were given them before the action by Congress.

Arrangements had been made by the rules committees of both houses of Congress to expedite the relief bill recommended in the President's message and it is expected to be enacted into law before the supply ship Culpea can finishing coaling at Suez.

A part of the battleship fleet now at Suez and Port Said will be sent to the earthquake region as soon as the ships can be coaled, and as many surgeons and men as are available for rescue work.

CHRISTIAN SHORE SOCIAL CLUB

At the annual meeting of the Christian Shore Social Club Friday evening these officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Elwyn S. Merrow, president.
Joseph R. Curtis, vice president.
John W. Leavitt, secretary-treasurer.
William E. Winn, janitor.

Accidents will happen, but the best-regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts.

KITTERY LETTER

The Death Of Mrs. Henrietta Macy

New Hampshire Couple Is Married

New Movement In The Free Baptist Sunday School

Local Woman Kept Boarding House In Buenos Ayres

Kittery, Me., Jan. 4.

After a number of years of poor health, about a year ago Mrs. Henrietta Macy had the misfortune to break her left wrist. Since that time she has been slowly falling and recently has been in a critical condition. Sunday noon she fell quietly into her last sleep. Although since coming to Kittery with her son, Rev. E. H. Macy, she has lived a very quiet life, yet she has made a number of friends who will hold her in pleasant remembrance because of her pleasant, cheerful way. Her patience was a marked characteristic of recent days. She leaves two daughters, two sons, two sisters and seven grandchildren. A simple service in keeping with her quiet life will be held on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the parsonage of the Second Christian church and all the friends of the family are welcome to attend. The interment will be in the family lot at Nantucket, Mass., the journey being made on Wednesday. Mrs. Macy was the widow of Captain Thomas H. Macy and was aged sixty-eight years, six months and sixteen days.

The wedding of Mrs. Nancy W. Clements of Laconia, N. H., to Albert Glidden of New Durham, N. H., took place at the parsonage of the Second Christian church on Saturday. After the ceremony the couple left on their honeymoon.

Constitution Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will meet on Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Mrs. Parsons of York is now ill at the home of her son, John Parsons of Kittery Point.

Mr. James Plummer was a visitor in Eliot on Sunday.

George Smart and family spent Sunday with his parents in Portsmouth.

The weekly prayer meetings will be held on Tuesday evening in both of the churches.

Miss Millie Damon has been visiting for a week past at Miss Maud Moulton's of North Kittery.

Miss Edith Bicknell is entertaining a trained nurse from the Maine General Hospital at Portsmouth.

Naval Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, will meet in Odd Fellows' hall at Portland.

William Hackney has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Gardner Hodgdon is visiting

DOG GUARDS HIS MASTER'S REMAINS

Frank Ozarek's Dog Shot In Order To Reach Body

Shortly after eight o'clock this morning an extra freight bound east, while passing just east of the overhead bridge at the Plains, discovered the body of a man lying dead within a few feet of the outward main line tracks. The engineer brought the train to a stop and the crew got off to view the body but were obliged to hurry back to the train on account of a dog which had faithfully been guarding the body of his master.

The train crew reported the case on their arrival at the station and a special passenger car and switching engine with Medical Referee A. J. Lance, Officer Burke and press representatives were brought to the scene.

The Dog Still on Guard
As soon as the train stopped the dog, crouched by the side of his master, went after the first man off and for thirty minutes he fought the railroad men, police and everybody else. Finally Officer Burke blazed away with his revolver. Bullets hit him twice but only one

of the shots was effective and he finally gave up the fight and ran down the track before he could be killed to end his sufferings.

Later the police looked him up but the woman at the house where he was found refused to have him killed. Even to the last the animal held the fort. With blood streaming from his wound he stood on the form of his dead master crying mournfully and lapping his face at the same time.

Examination Made
The dead man proved to be Frank Brown, otherwise known as Frank Ozarek, a Poleander.

He was lying on his back in the ditch. An empty gun and two dead rabbits were on the bank twenty feet away and his cap on the other side of the body.

Medical Referee A. J. Lance made an examination of the body which contained no scars on the face. At first it was thought he might have died from heart failure or accidentally shot himself. On reaching under the clothing the referee found his ribs broken and there was also a cut on the head.

He was placed on the stretcher and carried to the depot where other workmen at the railroad wharf identified him as Brown, who was employed at the North End coal docks.

Was Gunning on Sunday

Brown, with his brother, was gunning on Sunday on the Ocean road and left for home during the evening via the railroad while his brother came in over the road expecting to meet him in this city.

The Cut on Head to be Investigated
The cut on the man's head is somewhat of a puzzle to the authorities at present and before a decision is rendered as to his death the case will be more fully investigated, as Brown is alleged to have been mixed up in a row of some kind on Ocean road on Sunday. The case, which was brought to the attention of the police, was dismissed by the court today.

Wife in Chelsea
Brown has a wife and four children and lived on Russell Alley. Lately his wife has been located in Chelsea and some relative of the family has cared for the children.

EVENTS OF ELIOT

Eliots Representative To The Maine Legislature

The Congregational Church Has A Special Musical Service

Eliot, Me., Jan. 4.
Representative C. Edward Bartlett from the Eliot and Kittery district started for Augusta this morning. Mr. Bartlett's father, the late Sylvester Bartlett, was the representative from his district fourteen years ago when there was the last previous attempt to move the York county seat from Alfred, and now the son will take part in the settlement of the same question at its newest revival.

Sunday was communion Sabbath at the Eliot churches.

Burgess Abbott and family are today moving into Deacon Abraham Hill's house on the State road where they lived several years ago. They have since resided at Bridgewater, Mass. Deacon Hill has lived alone much of the time since the death of his wife.

There was special music at the Congregational church on Sunday evening by a chorus choir under the direction of Dr. H. I. Durgin, assisted by Edward C. Carey, cornetist, and with Miss Myrtle Ham as accompanist. A mezzo soprano solo was given by Mrs. Frank Kennard and an anthem by a quartet, Dr. and Mrs. H. I. Durgin and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nowell.

William E. Cole is not so well. The two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O. Searle is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

EVA M. NICHOLS

Eva M., the six-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nichols, died on Sunday afternoon at her parents' home on Court street.

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CLOAK DEPARTMENT

JANUARY MARK DOWN ON SUITS

Navy Blue Panama, Black Silk braided, tucked skirt, former price 10.00, now	5.00
Copenhagen blue, Herringbone serge, tucked skirt with fold, cutaway coat former price 18.50, now	5.00
Brown Herringbone Serge suit, tucked skirt, was 18.50, now	5.00
Navy blue Cheviot suit, 36 in. coat, trimmed with buttons, gored skirt, former price 18.75, now	12.50
Navy blue broadcloth, strap seam coat, gored skirt, was 16.50, now	10.00
Dark green fancy mixtures, half fitted coat, large buttons, gored skirt, buttoned down front, former price 25.00, now	15.00
Dark green and brown invisible stripe suits, 36 in. coat, trimmed with satin buttons, shawl collar, gored skirt, button trimmed, was 25.00, now	17.50
London Smoke Herringbone stripe, 35 inch fancy cut coat, gored skirt, former price 22.00, now	12.50
London Smoke, Invisible Stripe Suit, half fitted double breasted coat, gored skirt, was 20.00, now	13.98

LONG AND SHORT COATS

Brown Broadcloth Coat, semi fitting, yoke lined, regular price 10.00, now	5.00
Fancy Mixture, Long Coat, kimona sleeve, was 12.50, now	5.00
Long Broadcloth Coat, fitted, yoke lining, was 10.00, now	5.00
Short Broadcloth Coats, strap seam, satin lined, was 10.98, now	5.00
Short Kersey Coats, 36 inch, satin lined, velvet collar, was 10.00, now	5.00

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Geo. B. French Co

"Tom" says--
He wouldn't be
without an
ELECTRIC
CIGAR
LIGHTER

SUICIDE OF A BANK OFFICIAL

Detroit Has A Sensation With No Explanation

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 4.—The whole city was startled this morning by the news that Vice President Henry C. Potter of the People's Savings Bank had killed himself by shooting. Mr. Potter was one of the leading financial men of Michigan and was reputed to be very wealthy. No explanation is offered for his act.

SAYS HE DID NOT HIT AT HOUSE

Last year an amendment was incorporated in the measure providing for the secret service which provided that there should be no detail from the secret service and no confidential informants. It is not possible to say that this amendment has been of benefit only and could be of benefit only to the criminal classes. If deliberately introduced for the purpose of diminishing the effectiveness of war against crime it could not have been better devised. It has been a very real practical hindrance to that had been followed to a greater or less extent by the executive heads of various departments for twenty years. To these practices we owe the securing of the evidence which enabled us to drive great fortunes out of business and secure the acquittal of their promoters. These practices have enabled us to discover some of the most outrageous frauds in connection with the theft of government land and government timber by great corporations and by individuals. These practices have enabled us to discover some of the most reprehensible in order to secure the conviction of the wealthiest and most formidable criminals with whom the government has to deal, both those operating in viola-

where no votes of the individual members are recorded, so I am unable to discriminate by mentioning the members who voted for and the members who voted against the provision, but in this passage, the Journal records, was greeted with applause. I am well aware, however, that in any case of this kind many members who have no particular knowledge of the point at issue are content simply to follow the lead of the committee which had considered the matter, and I have no doubt that many members of the house simply followed the lead of Messrs. Tawney and Smith without having had the opportunity to know very much as to the rights and wrongs of the question.

I would not ordinarily attempt in this way to discriminate between members of the house, but as objection has been taken to my language, in which I sim-

A careful reading of the Congressional Record will also show that practically the only arguments advanced in favor of the limitation proposed by Mr. Tawney's committee beyond what may be supposed to be contained by implication in certain sentences as to "abuses" which were not specified were those contained in the repeated statements of Mr. Sherier. Mr. Sherier stated that there had been "pronounced abuses growing out of the use of the secret service for purposes other than those intended," putting his statement in the form of a question, and in the same form further stated that the "private conduct" of "members of congress, senators" and others ought not to be investigated by the secret service and that they should not investigate a "member of congress" who had been accused of "conduct unbecoming a gentleman and a member of congress." In addition to

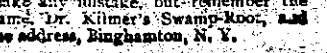
For a long time I contented myself with endeavoring to persuade the house not to permit the wrong, speaking informally on the subject with those members who, I believed, knew nothing of the matter and communicating officially only in the ordinary channels, as through the secretary of the treasury. In a letter to the speaker on April 30, protesting against the cut-

The secret service was used to assist in the investigation of crimes under the peonage laws, and owing partly hereto numerous convictions were secured and the objectionable practices practically stamped out, at least in many districts. The most extensive smuggling of silk and opium in the history of the treasury department was investigated by agents of the secret service in New York and Seattle and a successful prosecution of the offenders undertaken. Assistance of the utmost value was rendered to the department of justice in the beef trust investigation at Chicago; prosecutions were followed up and fines inflicted. The cotton leak scandal in the agricultural department was investigated and the responsible parties located. What was done in connection with lottery investigations is disclosed in a letter just sent to me by the United States attorney for Delaware, running as follows:

In conclusion, I most earnestly ask in the name of good government and honest administration, in the name of decency and for the purpose of bringing to justice violators of the federal laws wherever they may be found, whether in public or private life, that the action taken by the house last year be reversed. When this action was taken the senate committee, under the leadership of the late Senator Allison, having before it a strongly worded protest (Appendix D) from Secretary Carroll like that he had sent to Mr. Tawney, accepted the secretary's views, and the senate passed the bill in the shape presented by Senator Allison. In the conference, however, the house conferees insisted on the retention of the provision they had inserted, and the senate yielded. [Appendix D consists of a letter from Secretary Carroll to the late William B. Allison, chairman of the senate committee on appropriations, dated May 5, 1908. In it the secretary protests vigorously against the amendment to the sundry civil bill prohibiting the payment of any person detailed or transferred from the secret service division." He gives reasons for such details and in appendix cites instances in which the secret service men have been detailed effectively in cases outside the treasury department.]

The chief of the secret service is paid a salary utterly inadequate to the importance of his functions and in the admittedly way in which he has performed them. I earnestly urge that it be increased to \$6,000 per annum. I also urge that the secret service be placed where it properly belongs and made a bureau in the department of justice, as the chief of the secret service has repeatedly requested. But, whether this is done or not, it should be explicitly provided that the secret service can be used to detect and punish crime wherever it is found.

name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and



FLEET AT SUEZ AHEAD OF TIME

Battleships Have Clear Run
Through Canal

NO STOPS TO BE MADE

Vessels Look as Smart and Trim After Long Trip as If Turning Out For Naval Review—Tolls For Passage Through Big Ditch About \$150,000—Two Ships Are Rushed to Messina

Suez, Jan. 4.—The United States Atlantic battleship fleet finished, two days ahead of its schedule time, the next to the longest run of its world's girdling cruise, by arriving here Sunday from Colombo. The distance is 1440 knots.

The fleet sailed from Colombo Dec. 20. The loss of a seaman from the battleship Illinois, who fell overboard and was drowned, was the only accident to mar the voyage from Colombo.

The array of battleships was an impressive sight. The weather was splendid and the bay was crowded with launches and sailing craft, the occupants of which enthusiastically welcomed the ships which, despite their long trip, looked as smart and trim as though they had turned out for a naval review. All the vessels were in first rate fighting condition.

When the fleet had come to anchor the Egyptian and canal authorities went aboard the flagship and welcomed Rear Admiral Sperry, who expressed himself as well satisfied with the results of the cruise from Colombo.

Universal regret is expressed by the people here that the visit of the battleships will be brief. It had been expected that a representative officer would visit Cairo and be presented to the khedive on the anniversary of his accession to the throne, Jan. 8. A contingent of officers and men left by special train for Cairo Sunday afternoon.

The converted cruiser Yankton entered the canal Sunday afternoon and the supply ship Culgoa passed in last night. The former has a number of doctors aboard and the latter a large supply of provisions and stores. Both are going to Messina at full speed.

The canal authorities have made special arrangements for all the battleships to have a clear run through the canal and they therefore will not stop at any of the numerous stations where ships usually tie up to permit the passage of vessels which ordinarily have the right of way.

The battleships are moored in three lines. The Connecticut, the Vermont, the Kansas and the Minnesota entered the canal at 6 o'clock this morning and are due at Port Said at 10 o'clock tonight. The second group, consisting of the Louisiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Missouri and the Virginia, will enter tomorrow, and the third line, composed of the Wisconsin, Kentucky, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Georgia and the Nebraska, will start Wednesday. At Port Said coal will be taken on board the battleships by their crews.

The passage of the canal is regarded as a safe one, even for 16,000 ton vessels, such as the Connecticut class, which will be the heaviest fighting ships that ever have gone through. None of the British Dreadnaught types have made this voyage.

Leave to go through the Suez canal will cost the United States government, with quarantine and other dues, not far from \$150,000. The regular tolls are \$1.47 per ton. British shipping companies which use the canal are continuously complaining against this rate, which they aver is unreasonable and an excessive tax on commerce.

MEYER BACKED BY LODGE

Taft Urged to Retain Massachusetts Man in His Cabinet

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 4.—Senator Lodge left here last evening for Washington. In discussing his visit Mr. Taft says that besides giving him a general idea of the probable makeup of the senate committees after March 4, Lodge had strongly urged the retention of the Taft cabinet of Postmaster General Meyer.

While no particular portfolio for Meyer was mentioned, it was understood that if he was retained it would be either as secretary of the navy or secretary of the treasury, with the navy department the most likely.

Many Rioters Shot Down

Calcutta, Jan. 4.—The prohibition by the police, in deference to Hindu feelings, of Mohammedan sacrifices of cows, led to serious riots just outside Calcutta. Troops were summoned to quell the trouble and were compelled to fire upon the rioters, several of whom were killed and sixty seriously injured.

Scheme Meets Approval

Washington, Jan. 4.—Spontaneous and general approval has been given the movement initiated by President Roosevelt recently in calling a conference to meet in Washington on Jan. 26 and 27 to discuss the problem of caring for the dependent children of the country.

GATHERED TO RAISE FUNDS

But Meeting of Lynn Italians Breaks Up in a Riot

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 4.—A mass meeting of Italian citizens called for Sunday evening to raise funds for the Italian earthquake sufferers was attended by about 400 foreign speaking people, including many of Anarchistic and Socialistic tendencies. Before the time came to solicit subscriptions a local Socialist addressed the chair. So far as the needs of the Italian earthquake sufferers were concerned and the need of raising money he was in accord with the leaders of the meeting.

The arraignment of the Italian government met with vociferous applause and yelling from the supporters of the speaker, but the remainder of the audience took exceptions and attempted to quiet the minority.

During the hubbub someone grabbed the speaker and pulled him from the platform, which acted as a signal for a general mixup. The two factions, with yells and shouts, came together in an attempt to rush each other from the building just as the police came upon the scene.

The police lost no time in clearing the hall and the matter of raising of contributions went over until some future date.

DORANDO AGAIN GIVES OUT

Longboat Finishes Last Six Miles of Marathon in a Walk

Buffalo, Jan. 4.—Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, for the second time took the measure of Dorando Pietri, the Italian, who almost won the great Marathon at the London Olympic games.

Dorando, as in his race with Longboat in New York, failed to go the distance.

The end came with startling suddenness in the sixth lap of the nineteenth mile. Dorando had just made one of his spectacular sprints and 10,000 people were on their feet cheering lustily when the Italian faltered. Dorando was able to walk, but appeared to be very weak as he was led to his dressing room.

After Dorando stopped Longboat slowed down and covered the remaining six miles at a walk.

CORBETT MAY GO AFTER THE TITLE

Wants to Wrest Heavyweight Championship From Johnson

Denver, Jan. 4.—Apparently James J. Corbett is sincere in his announcement that he will re-enter the prize ring and endeavor to have a white man regain the world's heavyweight pugilistic championship, won by Jack Johnson, who recently defeated Tommy Burns for the title.

Given six months in which to train properly, Corbett says he feels supremely confident he can defeat Johnson. So it is more than probable that, should the Australian fight promoters take Corbett's talk seriously and offer a purse for a championship fight, Corbett would again be seen in the ring.

Corbett is now 42 years old, but he appears to be in perfect physical condition.

TO PATROL THE COAST

Gunboat Dubuque Is Ordered From Cuba to Nicaragua

Washington, Jan. 4.—Reports of expeditionary movements in Central America have led to a close watch of the situation by the American government and, acting under orders of the navy department at the request of Secretary Root, the gunboat Dubuque sailed Sunday from Havana for Bluefields.

Both Assistant Secretary of State Bacon and Secretary of the Navy Newberry say that the ordering of the Dubuque to Bluefields is for the purpose of patrolling the coast. The commander of the Dubuque will look into conditions there.

KING UNDER \$35,000 BAIL

Attorneys Have Thirty Days to File Exceptions to Conviction

Boston, Jan. 4.—Cardenio F. King, the financial agent who was convicted of larceny of \$22,000 from twenty-seven customers, was released from custody, having secured bail in the amount of \$35,000, the subscribers to the bonds being parties in Boston and Lynn.

Before his conviction King had been out on \$25,000 bonds, which amount was raised \$10,000 upon his conviction. King's attorneys have been granted thirty days to file exceptions.

Clergyman's Home Robbed

North Attleboro, Mass., Jan. 4.—While Rev. Albert Crabtree, pastor of the Attleboro Episcopal church, was assisting Bishop Lawrence in confirmation exercises at Mansfield, burglars ransacked his home and secured about \$500 in money, jewelry and silverware.

French Government Endorsed

Paris, Dec. 4.—The elections of senators whose terms will expire nine years hence were held Sunday throughout France and the colonies. They resulted in an endorsement of the government policy, the majority gaining fifteen seats.

STROMBOLI ISLAND IS SHAKEN

Old Volcano Begins
an Eruption

KING AND QUEEN HOME

Quick Justice Is Meted Out to
Thieves in Messina

PEOPLE MORE CALM IN REGGIO

Great Advance In the Prepara-
tions For Relief Work

Rome, Jan. 4.—A violent earth shock lasting three seconds and during which the Stromboli volcano began eruption, occurred on Stromboli Island Sunday. The phenomenon was accompanied by prolonged dull rumblings.

The houses on the island were badly damaged and the populace fled to the streets in panic, but no one was hurt. The weather is intensely cold on Stromboli Island.

The island of Stromboli is the northeasternmost of the Lipari group, which lie about thirty miles off the north coast of Sicily. It is almost circular in form and on it is the volcano of Stromboli, which rises about 3000 feet above the sea and has been almost perpetually active for the better part of 2000 years. The population of the island is about 2000.

The crater of the volcano faces the northwest and is about one-third down the side of the mountain. It is about 170 yards in diameter. The principal town of the island, with a battery, stands on the eastern side and is divided into two parts, San Vincenzo and San Bartolomeo. The houses are low, with flat roofs, though some of them are two stories high.

Despite the stupendous volcano on the island, the soil there is extremely fertile, and some of the finest wines in the Mediterranean are made there, and a moderate quantity of wheat, barley, cotton and figs are grown.

The king and queen arrived in this city last night, coming by motor car from Naples. Their early arrival was unexpected. The queen looked tired and depressed, but the king was energetic as usual.

They went quietly to the palace, wishing to avoid any kind of manifestation. As soon as the news of their arrival spread, however, the people could not refrain from gathering and manifesting their admiration for the noble deeds of the sovereigns in their work among the afflicted.

The king communicated immediately with Premier Giolitti, urging that measures for the benefit of the sufferers be adopted at once. The premier has been working day and night and has succeeded in providing shelter, in the way of tents, hospitals and asylums, for 12,000 people, while other arrangements are being made to provide for many thousands more.

The American ambassador, Lloyd C. Griscom, has appointed a committee of Americans to which will be intrusted the work of utilizing the money received from the United States to the best advantage for the earthquake sufferers.

Thieves Among Ruins
Both at Messina and Reggio the guards are having difficulty in protecting the survivors and the vast treasures in the ruined buildings from the bands of thieves that are swarming everywhere. It is reported that six Russian sailors have been shot by looters at Messina and that sixteen criminals have been killed at the same place.

Six hundred persons engaged in pillaging have been arrested. In an engagement at Reggio between the police and bandits, two of the police were killed.

Reports still reach here of the continuance of earth shocks, some of which are of sufficient force to do further great damage. According to these reports, new shocks yesterday at Pellaio precipitated the entire population into the sea, including both the dead and living victims of the first earthquake.

At Reggio the people are becoming more calm, and aid to that city is now being systematically forwarded. Military zones have been established throughout Calabria.

During the first days following the disaster the saving of the wounded was the only thing thought of. As late as Friday a number of persons still living were taken from the ruins, but they died upon reaching the open air. Practically only the surface of the fallen towns has been gone over.

It has been ascertained that the chain of forts extending round the city are intact. The powder factory and cartridge factory, together with several million cartridges, were destroyed.

The pope has in both devastated districts a sufficient number of clergy to carry out his desires. He has, however, sent three prelates from Rome to the south to carry out special instructions, one of these being Mgr. Bongano, rector of the Propaganda college.

Advance In Relief Work
Great advance has been made in the preparations for the relief work here concerning bringing sufferers from the devastated districts. The hospital which is being prepared within the Vatican will contain 200 beds. The papal doctors will be in attendance and they will be assisted by sisters and nurses. The pope has undertaken the entire expense of the charity.

The Press club has also opened a hospital, while many ladies of the aristocracy will receive in their private houses a certain number of the wounded. Princess Borghese is the leader in the movement and she has had transferred three large rooms in her palace into an infirmary.

Funeral masses for the victims were celebrated in the churches of Rome Sunday. Official figures give the number of injured transported from the earthquake zone to the various ports up to yesterday by the Italian warships as 10,370, by the British warships 1200, by the German 900 and by the Russian 880.

A censorship has been established at the important points in the south, and the foreign correspondents are being greatly hampered in forwarding their dispatches. The censorship is seriously affecting both telegraphic and telephonic communication.

A Student's Story
A young student, Teodoro Rositani, who walked eleven miles to escape from Reggio, tells a terrible tale of the first moments of the earthquake, in which he lost a sister and other relatives. Rositani thus describes his experiences:

"Together with my companions, I was in a train waiting to go to San Giovanni, the nearest spot on the mainland, to Messina, when the carriage was literally lifted off the tracks, the station crumbling to the ground before our eyes. There was a roar like a hundred cascades falling from a height. Our terror lasted only a moment and we were soon climbing the heap of rubbish, all that was left of the station, guided by the cries of distress. We dragged forth the family of the station master, all of whom were badly injured.

"Meanwhile the shocks continued and the sea gathered itself into a wall of water, destroying everything it touched. The sun had risen before we had completed our work of rescue at the station. At our backs there had broken out, illuminating the scene, which words fail to illustrate.

"We were roused from our work by shouts and found ourselves in the embrace of the rest of our companions, who had escaped from the seminary. We soon joined bands of monks going about giving aid wherever it was possible, and later we found ourselves before a convent in which there were many poor girls, those alive being in a state to touch the hardest heart. From that place we removed fourteen corpses of nuns and girls."

Generous Response
Boston, Jan. 4.—Many thousands of dollars were contributed for the Italian relief fund through collections taken Sunday in the churches of Greater Boston. The exact amount is not known and the estimates vary widely.

While the total amount of the fund now in the hands of the local relief committee and the Red Cross totals more than \$100,000, many believe the amount will be fully doubled when the result of the collections Sunday have become known.

J. J. Storrow, chairman of the Massachusetts relief committee, received a cablegram from the Italian Red Cross in Italy, acknowledging receipt of the \$50,000 which was sent from this state last week.

BOX OF POISONED CANDY

Woman Who Heeded "Warning" of Fortune Teller the Recipient

Warwick, R. I., Jan. 4.—The sender of a box of poisoned candy received by Mrs. George M. Webb of Pawtucket is being sought by the police. Mrs. Webb did not eat of the candy and did not allow any member of the family to touch it because, she says, she had been warned by a fortune teller recently to beware of a woman who had designs on her life and was planning to wreck her home.

BURTON IS NOMINATED

Will Occupy Seat in Senate Long Held by Foraker

Columbus, O., Jan. 4.—Congressman Theodore E. Burton of Cleveland was given the Republican joint caucus nomination of the Ohio general assembly for United States senator to succeed Joseph E. Foraker in March next.

There had been no opposition to Burton's nomination since last Thursday, when Charles P. Taft, Foraker's endorser, withdrew from the contest.

Burton will be formally elected senator on Jan. 12.

Stevens' Slayer Sentenced
San Francisco, Jan. 4.—In Wang Chang, the Korean who shot and killed Durham W. Stevens in this city, was sentenced to twenty-five years in the state penitentiary.

SOLONS GATHER THIS WEEK

Legislatures Convene In Five
New England States

MAINE PROHIBITORY LAW

It Will Be a Leading Topic of Discussion In Pine Tree State—Many Bay State Cities to Ask for Revision of Charters—Adoption of Conservation Conference Measures Expected In Many States

Boston, Jan. 4.—It is anticipated that the coming sessions of the legislatures of five New England states, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut, will be particularly interesting this year, as the incoming governors in each state will recommend uniform legislation in the matter of forestry, fisheries and automobiles.

All five legislatures will convene during the present week, and five new governors will be inaugurated, Bert M. Fernald in Maine, Henry B. Quidley in New Hampshire, Eben S. Draper in Massachusetts, Aram J. Pothier in Rhode Island and George L. Lilley in Connecticut.

As Vermont inaugurated Governor Prouty last fall, the New Year will see new men at the head of all six of the New England states, for the first time in many years.

In New Hampshire and Connecticut the incoming legislatures will elect United States senators.

The most important matters which will come before the Maine legislature this year are expected to be those of taxation and various phases of the prohibitory law. The last legislature passed a bill providing for the appointment of a tax commission which recently reported its findings and recommendations. These will be taken up by the new legislature. An effort will also be made to repeal the so-called Sturgis law, a measure which was passed four years ago and which placed the enforcement of the prohibitory laws in the hands of state officials. An effort will be also made to pass a measure for the resubmission of the prohibitory laws to the people. Other liquor legislation it is anticipated, will be brought forward.

There is no opposition to the election of United States Senator Callinger in New Hampshire to a fourth term. It is expected that Governor Quimby will endorse the action of the Boston conference by recommendations regarding forestry, automobiles as well as shellfish. Several taxation measures will also be offered as well as a bill further regulating the lobby and still further restricting the use of passes by legislators on railroads.

The bill for direct nomination at the state primaries is expected to be the leading issue before the Massachusetts legislature this year. Many endorsements will be offered to the present liquor law by the temperance advocates and a number of the cities will ask for a revision of their charters. It is also anticipated that there will be several street railway matters before the legislature for action and that the labor leaders will ask for the passage of the so-called picketing and anti-injunction bills. Governor Draper will carry out the ideas of Governor Ould for uniform legislation through his inaugural address on Thursday.

Nearly 200 measures which were not acted upon at the last session will be placed before the general assembly in Rhode Island when it meets this week, together with a great number of new measures. The most important upon which the assembly will be asked to act are the election of judges, the bill providing for the reapportionment of the state, the granting of the veto power to the governor and that of giving the cities and towns the right to vote annually on the license question. Governor Pothier will carry out the recommendations of the Boston conference and will probably lay particular stress upon those in regard to shellfish.

The feature of the session in Connecticut will be election of a United States senator to succeed Frank B. Brandegee. Numerous measures of great importance to the state will also be brought forward and Governor Lilley will probably recommend the adoption of some of the New England conference measures.

The Republicans have complete control in both legislatures in all the New England states.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

General T. C. Dupont, president of the Dupont Powder company and prominent in national Republican politics, is seriously ill at his home at Wilmington, Del. He is suffering from nervous indigestion and physical breakdown.

During the calendar year 1902 the coins executed at the mints of the United States amounted to \$145,499,148.

Death came to Thomas C. Devine, aged 44, traffic manager of the Boston office of the Western Union Telegraph company and one of the best known operators in New England, especially among newspaper men.

DEEDS OF BRUTALITY

Mrs. Erb Testifies That They Were Practiced by Her Husband

Media, Pa., Jan. 4.—In a dramatic recital of wrongs alleged to have been inflicted upon her, Mrs. M. F. Erb, who, with her sister, Mrs. Katherine Beisel, is charged with the murder of Captain J. C. Erb, told a story of almost savage cruelty which created a sensation in the courtroom. Captain Erb, her husband, by virtue of his political affiliations well known all over Pennsylvania as a "good fellow," was held up by his wife as having committed deeds of brutality which started all who heard her.

Mrs. Erb described her life at Red Gables, the Erb country home, since 1900, when she first went to live there with Erb. She gave a harrowing account of having been beaten, thrown out of the house on cold nights, and called vile names by her husband on many occasions. Quarrels, she alleged, were of daily occurrence. Even some of the servants in the house, she further said, insulted her, and she was only laughed at by her husband.

She did not see the actual shooting, she declared, but recounted the quarrel she had with the captain prior to the shooting, during which she threw several household articles at him when he attempted to shoot her. Fearing for her life, she said, she sent for her sister, who came to her assistance and the shooting followed.

On cross-examination, the widow admitted she lived with Erb before she married him.

PROTEST NOT UNLIKELY

Action of Chinese Regent Not Welcomed by the Powers

Peking, Jan. 4.—Following the dismissal from office of Yuan Shi Kai, grand councillor and commander-in-chief of the forces, and the appointment of Ma Tung as grand councillor, an edict was issued appointing Liang-Tun-Yen, customs tao-tai, to the position thus made vacant on the foreign board.

The British and American ministers, at the conference held last night at the British legation, reached an agreement that the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai should not pass unnoticed.

The foreign ministers disagree on the question as to whether the welfare of foreign interests are technically involved by the regent's action, but they agree that peace is endangered. The representatives of Great Britain, America and Germany view the regent's action as tantamount to an affront to the powers, on account of Yuan Shi's position abroad, he being recognized as the medium of fair and equitable treatment toward the nations. The dissenting ministers are of the opinion that unless other serious events occur interference would not be justified.

HISTORY OF BASEBALL

Some New Pages Likely to Be Written During This Week

Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—The men who are filled from hat to shoe with the history, customs and rules of baseball, who know more about the national game as it is played today than the late Henry Chadwick, its "father," got together here today in the meeting of the national commission. Before the meeting is over several pages will be added to the history of baseball, if present indications do not lie.

Chief among the questions that are before the commission is the demand of the American association and the Eastern league for changes regarding the drafting rules. Briefly stated, these two organizations want the privilege now possessed only by the two big leagues of drafting men from minor leagues instead of acquiring them only by purchase.

A majority of the requests made by the American association and the Eastern league are being seriously considered by the national commission, and it is said many concessions will be made.

FLIGHT INTERRUPTED

Men Who Escaped From New Hampshire Jail Fare Badly

Berlin, N. H., Jan. 4.—The three prisoners who escaped from their cells in the basement of the Coos county courthouse in this city were all recaptured. None of the men made any resistance, and all were brought back here and lodged in the city jail.

The men are Paul Mertha, Fred Forbes and Dan Ferrari. All suffered considerably from exposure and Mertha's feet were badly frozen. After escaping from the courthouse by sawing the bars of their cells, the men made their way to Randolph, where Mertha was captured just as he was about to board a train for Boston. Ferrari was similarly caught at Bowman. Forbes was found in a lumber camp near Bowman.

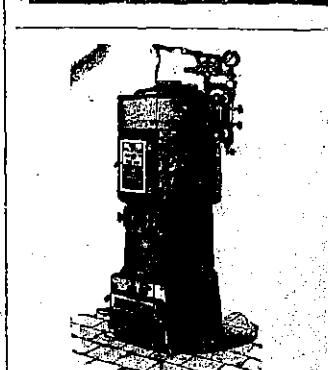
McLean Defeats British Champion

Boston, Jan. 4.—Hugh McLean, the American middle distance motor paced champion, defeated Albert E. Mills of England, holder of the motor paced record for one hour, in a twenty-mile motor paced race here. The time was 33 minutes, 51 4-5 seconds.

Would-Be Assassin Foiled

Union City, Tenn., Jan. 4.—An attempt to assassinate attorney General Caldwell was made near his home here. The assailant escaped. He was followed from the depot by a man who shot at him twice as he neared his home.

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MONDAY, JAN. 4, 1909.

THIS SCHEME WILL FAIL

Collier's Weekly has been threatening for many months to attack Senator Gallinger, and now we learn that this attack is to be published in that magazine on Thursday of next week.

From which it would seem as if the promoters of this attack upon our senior Senator designed to issue the same so near the time when the legislature must elect a United States Senator that no time would be left for Senator Gallinger or any of his friends to meet this attack and make such denials and refutations as would be proper and truthful.

Months ago this New York publication announced its hostility to and hatred of Senator Gallinger, and in the same breath said it was going to make an impartial investigation of his public career. What sort of an impartial result could be accomplished starting out on lines like these, can be apparent to the ordinary observer.

The writer of the article has been engaged, we presume, a long time. We learn he was in New Hampshire for some ten days, and it may fairly be assumed that he spent the greater part of this time with the enemies of Senator Gallinger in this state rather than with his friends.

This coming attack looks to us a good deal like a continuation of the political warfare that existed in New Hampshire for the past four years, the "Lincolmites," so called, on one hand and the great body of the Republican party on the other.

Those members of the "Lincolnite" party in New Hampshire who desire to go to the United States Senate will get there more easily and sooner by making an open fight for the position and relying upon their own ability and popularity rather than by adopting the cloak of unanimity.

OUR EXCHANGES
Reelect Gallinger
One duty of the incoming legislature, the election of a United States Senator, will be an easy and pleasant task. Senator Gallinger's reelection is assured and it should be unanimous.—Exeter News-Letter.

Good Idea
We second the Somersworth Free Press' motion that an electric railway line be built to Farmington and North Rochester, although perhaps we would change the route somewhat. Some day we will have an electric railroad through Farmington up to the lake, and it will be a big money maker, too.—Rochester Courier.

Brains, Not Beef, in Revised Football
In making the selection of an All-Western Eleven, the writer is absolutely unbiased and is not affiliated with any college. The selection is made strictly upon the season's work

of various players. This has been the only consideration. No attempt has been made to pick a team composed of players from as many universities as possible.
As usual, a few players stand head and shoulders above their rivals. This is evidenced by the grand work of Steffen, Page, Schultz, Van Hook, Judds, Sinnock and Messner. With these players there have not been flashes of brilliant football, but in every game their work has been praised by coaches and spectators alike. While on account of the conference rules, the players as a whole lack in general experience as compared with the stars of five or six years ago, in all-round ability, game-ness and general cleverness, they compare most favorably with players of any period. The new rules have put more of a premium on brains than on beef and in consequence the stars this year, in a number of instances, are lighter and faster than players occupying similar prominence in previous seasons.—Collier's for December 26.

APPEALS TO PUBLIC

Head of First Fruit Harvesters Asks New Hampshire for Protection

Rev. J. A. Wright of Rummey, head of the First Fruit Harvesters, whose chapel at Jefferson was recently blown up is out with an appeal to the people of New Hampshire.

He says he is in no way to blame for being a New Hampshire man; his parents brought him into the at the age of one and one-half years. He is, however responsible since he came to years of accountability, for his conduct as a citizen, and even more accountable since he became a preacher of righteousness, which he says he has been for twenty-two years without favor or salary. If he has wronged or defrauded any man, woman or child, brought forth false or untruthful doctrine, or refused to obey the laws of the state, he desires to have the law deal with him, and he does not refuse to yield his body or property to pay the penalty. "Everything about our work," he declares, "is open to the public inspection." He says no man's property is safe while the Jefferson matter of destruction of property continues to go unpunished. He does not fear for his life and does not appeal for protection from the law, but from violence to property and persons which is a part of our commonwealth.

COL. FRANK H. PIERCE

Col. Frank H. Pierce, a nephew of President Franklin Pierce and the principal heir to his estate, died Friday in New York.

Mr. Pierce was sixty years old. He was born in Hillsborough and was educated at Phillips-Exeter Academy and Princeton College. He studied law and after being admitted to the bar practiced his profession for a time in Concord. For the last four or five years he had been practicing law in New York city.

RECIPROCITY DAY

In Association Hall on Wednesday, January 6th, at three o'clock, the Grafford Club will hold its annual Reciprocity Day. This year its guests will be the Every Other Tuesday Club of Rye, and the executive members of some of the State Clubs. These latter guests will give ten minute talks on state matters after which tea will be served. All Grafford Club members are requested to be present.

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The plot deals with a young Irish American, named Dillon, visiting the home of his folks near the Killarney Lakes. He is made the guest of a Mrs. Burke who has two very pretty daughters, with one of whom the young visitor falls deeply in love. He tries to persuade her to return with him to America, but owing to her mother's advanced age, she declines. On the eve of his departure Mrs.



Edith Bellew, with "Come Back to Erin"

Burke confide in him as Irish rose with the request that he plant it on the grave of her only son in Arizona which the religiously vows he will do.

Dillon, who owns a productive mine in Arizona, finds on his return that there is considerable trouble with the Apache Indians and that the United States troops are on the quiver for an uprising. He receives word from his sweetheart that through a friend of hers she learns that there is a young Irishman named Burke, who is a sergeant of the cavalry station at the Arizona fort, and suspects him, to be her brother, and that instead of his being dead, he is going to the aid.

Dillon hastens to find out the truth of the information and discovers that the sergeant Burke is indeed his sweetheart's brother; that he is falsely accused of forgery by a plot hatched by the commanding officer's son, who is in league with the Apache chief and had been dismissed from the army.

Dillon, after many conflicting incidents secures young Burke's vindication and he is ultimately reinstated to his regiment with honors, and a long leave of absence granted to return home.

The young miner returns with the long lost son and finally weals his love and all ends happily in an old-fashioned family reunion.

Throughout the play, songs, bagpipes, fiddles, wit and dancing abound that keeps the audience in the height of good humor and interest from the rise to fall of curtain.

"Come Back to Erin" with Mr. Charles E. Mack, supported by a first class company with a special scenic production will be the attraction at Portsmouth Music Hall on Friday of this week.

Dockstader's Minstrels

Low Dockstader's great minstrels, the most wonderful minstrel show ever on the road, will be at Portsmouth Music Hall in the near future.

Al Johnson and Nell O'Brien are both with Dockstader this year and you will want to hear and see them as much as Dockstader himself.

Talks at the Sportsmen's Show

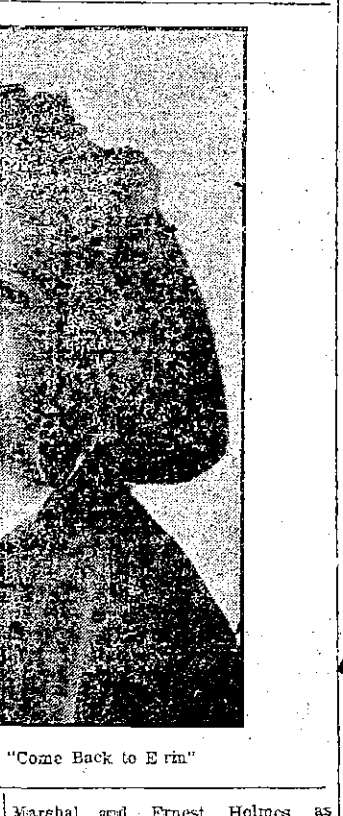
One of the interesting novelties of the Sportsmen's Show, which is now being held in Boston, and which will close on Tuesday night, is the series of popular illustrated talks on outdoor life given by Mr. James A. Cruikshank of New York city, under the auspices of the Eastern and Maine and Maine Central railroads. The subjects covered include deer

hunting, moose hunting, photographing wild game in daylight and by flashlight, canoe cruising, camping, both for the young sportsmen and for families, bungalow and cottage life, winter outings in the White Mountains, fishing for brook trout, salmon, black bass and ouananiche. The illustrations for the talk on photographing wild game are made by the greatest living experts in that field and have been loaned to the lecturer by such noted authorities as Congressman Shriver of Pennsylvania.

NEW ORGANIZATION INSTALLS

Piscataqua Harbor, No. 83, Now Ready for Business

Piscataqua Harbor No. 83, now in Grand Army Hall Saturday evening, Jan. 2, 1909, and installed its officers and transacted other important business and admitted several new members. The Grand Harbor was represented by O. L. Frisbee as Grand President, F. S. Fosgate as Grand



Guy Philbrick, with "Come Back to Erin"

INJURED WHILE SKATING

Guy Philbrick Receives a Bad Gash Over Right Eye

Guy Philbrick of New Broad street, while skating on the McCallum Pond on Saturday, was badly injured as a result of his skate coming off when he was going along at a fast clip. He was thrown and his head struck the ice. A nasty gash was opened on his forehead over his right eye that required eight stitches to close. Dr. T. W. Luce attended him.

FUNERAL OF NATHAN LOCKE

The funeral of Nathan Locke was held at two o'clock on Sunday afternoon from the Congregational church at Rye, Rev. Mr. Barber the pastor, officiating. There was a large attendance, including several from this city. Interment was in the Central cemetery, under the direction of O. W. Ham.

"Our Customers are Fashion's Friends"

The Harbor endorsed the petition of the Harbor association for a floating stage at the water side and a Harbor commission for Portsmouth Harbor. Captain Hoyt will take with him to Washington, the endorsement of the Harbor of the several bills of the Harbor association for the improvement of Portsmouth harbor. He will endeavor to get the Grand Harbor to endorse them and he and the National President, J. H. Pruitt, will do their best to get the appropriation for them.

Piscataqua Harbor is working for the improvement of Portsmouth harbor, and invites every one in sympathy with their efforts to join them. These not licensed men can join as honorary members. Among them joining as such were F. S. Fosgate, James H. Dow, Ernest Holmes and Commodore Currier of the Kittery Yacht Club.

Trustees elected for 1909 were F. H. Pruitt, D. E. Gilchrist and E. M. Frisbee. The Grand Harbor convenes in Washington Monday, Jan. 18, 1909, with headquarters at Hotel Normandie.

SPECIAL CARS TO AUCTION

Special cars will run to Greenland hourly on January 7, beginning at eight o'clock.

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BLUNDERING MR. BROWN

Drama Given by Jenness Beach Improvement Association

The members of the Jenness beach improvement society gave the three-act comedy, "The Blundering Mr. Brown," in Rye town hall on Friday evening before a large audience, followed by a supper and dance.

The committee in charge of the entertainment was Mr. and Mrs. John Squire, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Finlayson. Refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. Flora Seavey, Mrs. Howard Rand, Mrs. Frank Rand.

Those taking part were: Daniel Brown, the blunderer, Archibald Finlayson; Jack Armstrong, the bank clerk, Herbert Jenness; Dr. Horton, a wealthy physician, Ralph Jenkins; Patrick Dolan, the policeman, Chester Drake; Mrs. Brown, clever and social, Mrs. Chester Drake Clara Brown, an adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Miss Alice Squire; Bessie Brown, ward of Mr. Brown, Miss Fannie Jenness; Maggie Murphy, the servant, Miss Frances Senire.

ON A FISHING TRIP TO PELHAM

Portsmouth Men Make Some Wonderful Catches Through the Ice

Messrs. George Macauley, William Kershaw, Dr. J. D. Carry, C. W. Bass, George Woods and Dr. E. C. Blais departed Saturday and Sunday at a lake near Pelham, N. H., the guest of Mr. Macauley's brother, at a fishing camp. From a wireless received it is learned that there was something doing and a special freight car would probably be needed to take the fish home.

READ THIS

"It is astonishing," remarked a well known authority on Diseases of the skin, "how such a large number of people, especially ladies, are, by attractively written advertisements, induced to purchase some one of the many so called Beauty Creams now on the market, not knowing, of course, that they mostly contain oily or greasy substances that clog the pores of the skin and are, for that reason, the very worst thing that they could possibly use. My treatment of Pimples, Black heads, Blisters and all eruptions of the skin, are as follows and has been the face carefully every night before retiring with warm water and a little oat meal tied up in a small cloth bag, then, after drying well, use the following inexpensive which can be filled at any Drug Store. Clearol 1-2 oz. Ether 1 oz. Alcohol 7 oz. Use this mixture on the face as often as possible during the day, but use night and morning any way, allowing it to remain on the face at least ten minutes, then the powdery film may be wiped off. Do not wash the face for some little time after using. By following this simple treatment, you will soon have a clear and brilliant complexion."

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Nellie Martin of Portsmouth to W. H. Callender, son of Chapman Callender of Washington Post at Denver, Col., is announced. The wedding will occur in January.

FROM EXETER

Methodist Minister Still Sick

Death Of Mrs. Carlos S. Batchelder

Notable Work By Two Of The Academy Men

A Checklist Wanted For Use At The School Meeting

Exeter, Jan. 4.

The officers of Swampscott Lodge, Knights of Pythias, for the ensuing year will be installed this evening by Deputy Grand Chancellor Clarence M. Collins and suite. Grand Chancellor Jesse O. White and suite will also be present. A collation will be served in the banquet hall.

Cent Wheelwright, Foresters of America, will install the newly elected officers next Thursday evening.

Miss Allie McNulty, who has been visiting her parents on Front street, returned to Boston on Saturday to take charge of her school.

Ernest Hutchins returned on Saturday from a visit to Norway, Me.

Dr. Pope of Portsmouth was in town on business Saturday.

Rev. J. W. Adams, of Methuen, Mass., filled the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday in place of Rev. R. H. Huse, who is still confined to his home by sickness. Mr. Adams was a pastor of this church some years ago. Mr. Huse is improving and expects to be present at the meeting on Tuesday evening.

George Gardner, who has been visiting his parents, returned to Harvard College on Sunday.

Miss Amy Burlingame, a teacher in the public schools of Winthrop, Mass., left to attend to her duties today.

Miss Florence Cummings, after a short visit to W. H. C. Follansby, returned to her school in Quincy, Mass., on Sunday.

Miss Louise Clark, daughter of Prof. Clark of Phillips Exeter Academy, left for Haverhill on Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in the Haverhill schools.

After a short visit to relatives in town Miss Josephine Dow departed on Sunday to her school in Boston.

Harlan M. Bisbee, principal of Robinson Seminary, and his wife returned on Sunday from a short visit in Rumford Falls, Me.

Prof. J. C. Kirkland of the Phillips Academy has recently returned from Toronto, Canada, where he attended the meeting of the American Philological Association and also of the archaeological institute of America. As a representative of the classical association of New England he presented a petition for a commission to secure uniform college entrance requirements in Latin.

Favorable action was taken on the petition and a committee composed of Prof. Hale of the University of Chicago, Prof. Lodge of Columbia and Prof. Kirkland was appointed to secure a commission.

The public schools and the seminary reopen today and the academy next Wednesday.

The week of prayer will be observed by union meetings at 7.30 on Tuesday Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings successively at the Methodist, First Baptist and Phillips churches.

To very many the event of next week will be the fifth annual exhibition of the Exeter poultry, pigeon and pet stock association, to be held at the town hall Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. It promises to be more attractive than ever.

Petitions have been circulated asking the school board to prepare a checklist for use at future meetings of the school district.

Mrs. John D. Lyman has gone to Montclair, N. J., to pass the winter with her son, John T. Lyman.

George H. Young, who has long been employed at Botte, Mont., and vicinity, has returned to Exeter, probably for permanent residence.

Instructor Joseph Ford of the academy has been appointed by the New England Federation of Harvard Clubs as a member of its committee on relations with secondary schools.

H. M. Williams of Boston is chairman of the committee and Mr. Ford is the second member and the other members are J. F. Burnham of

Lawrence, Mass., Clement C. Hyde of Hartford, Conn., and Eugene D. Russell of Lynn, Mass.

Lydia E., wife of Carlos S. Batchelder died of Bright's disease, aged sixty-three years. She was born in Nova Scotia, Allen being her family name and had lived here about ten years, employed as a nurse. Her marriage to Mr. Batchelder occurred only two months ago.

Rolla A. Tyler has again entered the Carney hospital at Boston to receive treatment of the foot.

After a sick leave of several months Miss Dora H. Walker has resumed her post as assistant at the Union five cent savings bank. Miss Frances E. Moulton, her substitute, is retained for the present.

The condition of Mrs. James A. Tufts, who several weeks ago underwent a critical operation at the Cottage Hospital, a period of invalidism following, is now much improved. She is able to drive on.

Rev. Raymond H. Huse, who two weeks ago was severely attacked by the gripe, is still seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Akerly joined the First church on Sunday by letter from the Methodist church of Martinsburg, W. Va.

The condition of Charles W. Treadwell, the aged man who last Friday morning strayed into the woods near his home and was unconscious when found, is now much improved. His attending physician at the hospital thinks his chances for recovery are fair.

WELL KNOWN TELEGRAPH OPERATOR DEAD

"Tom" Devine, Well Liked Here, Dies Suddenly at His Roxbury Home

"Tom" Devine, as he was known to every newspaper correspondent in New England died at his home in Roxbury on Saturday afternoon after a short illness, with heart trouble. Mr. Devine was well known in this city, where he was in charge of the Western Union force of operators during the Portsmouth Peace Conference, for which work he won the admiration of every correspondent here. Mr. Devine was for many years the assistant chief operator for the Western Union, and was in charge of all the big stories where there was need of many operators, and his unfailing courtesy and willingness to do anybody a favor won for him the respect and admiration of everybody. Ever willing to do a good turn, he was a man that could be depended upon at all times. He was a great favorite with the Harvard college men, for he was for many years in charge of the Harvard camp at Red Top, and when there went abroad he was taken along as secretary. In this city his death will be a sad blow to those who met him while he was here. He was about 43 years of age and a native of Providence. A wife and four children survive.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY HUTCHINSON

Held Sunday Afternoon From Her Late Home

The last sad rites over the earthly remains of Mrs. Mary Hutchinson was held at 239 Sunday afternoon from her late home on Lincoln avenue. Rev. L. H. Thayer, the pastor of the North Congregational church officiated. Interment was in proprietors cemetery under the direction of H. W. Nickerson.

NAVY ORDERS

Surgeon J. A. Murphy, from Franklin, navy yard, Norfolk, Va., and wait orders.

Surgeon F. L. Benton, from duty with 1st Provisional Regiment of Marines in Cuba to the Franklin.

Passed Assistant Surgeon J. H. Ide, from duty with First Provisional Regiment of Marine in Cuba to the United States naval hospital, Pensacola, Fla.

Passed Assistant Surgeon J. H. Holloway, from duty with First Provisional Regiment of Marines in Cuba to the Franklin.

Passed Assistant Surgeon J. W. Backus, from naval station, Guantanamo, Cuba, to home and wait orders.

Passed Assistant Surgeon L. W. Bishop, from navy recruiting station, Omaha, Neb., to the Hancock, navy yard, New York.

Passed Assistant Surgeon R. E. Riggs, to the Texas, naval station, Charleston, S. C.

Assistant Surgeon A. H. Robnett, from duty with First Provisional Regiment of Marines in Cuba to the navy recruiting station, Omaha, Neb.

Assistant Surgeon A. H. Allen, from duty with First Provisional Regiment of Marines in Cuba to the United States naval hospital, Las Animas, Col.

Assistant Surgeon F. E. Sellers, from the Texas to the naval station, Key West, Fla.

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THE WEATHER

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CITY BRIEFS

Best entertainment that profession can produce at Eagles' hall.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

The public schools will open today after a week's vacation. The next vacation comes in April.

Several plans for the improvements in the docks of the Portsmouth Coal Company are in the hands of builders.

Harry Ormond, tenor soloist, at Eagles' hall, January 5.

Stag whist party at Eagles' Hall, Market street, Thursday evening, Jan. 7. Tickets twenty-five cents. Suitable prizes will be given. Everybody invited.

Mayor Adams will meet with the water commissioners this evening, and on Tuesday evening take his place as presiding officer at the regular meeting of the Board of Instruction.

"The Osmonds" in their famous comedy rube act at Eagles' hall.

James Driscoll was arrested on Sunday night in the freight yard and he was charged with what is commonly known as being a scutter. That is, securing the return beer that is left in the empty kegs that come back in the freight yards.

Do you want that coal or flour at Eagles' hall—free?

There were four drunks and the same number of lodgers at the police station last night. One of the drunks was a marine who did a "Steve Brody" act at the ferry landing and had to be taken to the police station in a job wagon.

LOST—From Gray and Prime's coal team, while passing through upper end of Wilder street, driver's coat finder, please notify Mr. Quill, Gray and Prime's.

The engine on the Dover train broke down this morning and delayed the 10:50 Boston train about fifteen minutes.

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AT FREE BAPTIST CHURCH

Series of Evangelistic Services to Begin This Evening

As Rev. Mr. Stiles was unable to be present at the Friday evening meeting on account of sickness in his family, he sent for two men to take his place so as to be sure of one. Rev. J. W. Scribner, who has been supplying to good satisfaction, and Rev. W. T. Boyd of East Rochester, came.

Mr. Scribner conducted the service and Mr. Boyd preached an able sermon.

Mr. Boyd remained and preached on Sunday forenoon and a short sermon in the evening after a live social service. Both sermons were able and practical and were well received by all.

Rev. S. A. Evans will preach this evening and Rev. Mr. Boyd will be present and assist in the service. These will be the commencement of the series of evangelistic meetings to be conducted by Mr. Evans.

POLICE COURT

The busiest session for many days in police court was held today before Judge Simms when every Polandier who was not engaged in manual labor took seats in the parquet to hear what the court would do with a Sunday case of rowing on Ocean road, in which Joseph Shumaki threatened to kill another of his countrymen. The court dismissed the case.

Frank Farrell, for drunkenness, was fined \$3.00 and costs of \$6.00. James J. Driscoll, for larceny of beer, got sixty days at the county farm and costs of \$6.00.

W. J. Connors, drunkenness, discharged.

PROF. LOOMIS TO LECTURE

At the January meeting of the South Parish Alliance to be held in the Unitarian chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 3.45, Professor E. J. Loomis will lecture upon "From Capetown to Kimberly, the Diamond City."

WOMAN BURNED

When A Lamp Fell Over

Georgie Burns Is Badly Hurt

Miss Georgie Burns, employed at the boarding house of Thomas J. W. Skelley on Market street, was badly burned shortly after noon today. Her clothing caught fire from a kerosene lamp which she accidentally tipped over and then tried to extinguish the flames.

She was severely burned about the limbs and face. She is now at the Cottage Hospital where her case is considered serious.

NO RAISE OF PAY AT NAVY YARD

Is The News From The Department At Washington

Portsmouth navy yard mechanics, like those of the Boston navy yard, will no doubt receive a genuine and unpleasant surprise when the schedule of pay recently recommended by the board of wages and sent to Washington for approval, is posted. Regardless of the fact that the officers comprising the board at this yard recommended a substantial increase for the mechanics of the several departments, the secretary of the navy has seen fit to disapprove all the increase asked for with the exception of the advance to the electrical mechanics, pipefitters and electrical engine tenders.

The hopes of many of the employees were at high pitch owing to the reports that the board had given them some consideration in the way of a little more money.

The schedule of the men that is now in vogue will remain the same and no reduction is understood to be called for in any of the trades at this station.

Still the hopes of many of the force are dashed and they will have to be satisfied with the situation as it exists.

THE NAVY YARDS HERE AND AWAY

Gathering the Stores

Store accounts for the colliers Marcellus and Leonidas are being taken to make ready for transfer to the vessels. No date has been set for commissioning the ships and they may be here some time after the crews take charge.

Tommy Out in the Empire State Thomas B. Ruxton, electrical mechanic in yards and docks, has returned from a trip to New York.

Hauled Up for Repairs

The ferry boat 132 was hauled up on the ways in the Franklin ship house at ten o'clock today, where she will have a new shaft and propeller installed.

Back From the Green Mountain State Ernest J. J. assistant engineer of the tug Nezinecot, has returned from a visit to his home in Rutland, Vt.

Worth Trying For

The propeller of the ferry 132 is still at the bottom of the river and would certainly mean a good day's pay if it could be lifted and turned over to the junk man. Its weight is 250 pounds.

Newberry Cut the Boston Navy Yard Increase

Boston navy yard workmen were staggered on Saturday when they

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learned that the secretary of the navy refused to grant an increase of wages asked for and approved by the commandant. The men in the ropewalk, ordnance and packer's were sidetracked.

All the wage raises recommended for other trades were approved and established. The men affected, together with those of some of the other trades for which no wage increases were recommended, will at once make a vigorous protest to the navy department.

It is very unusual for a recommendation of the Boston board of wages to be disapproved in its entirety by the navy department; in fact, the announcements of the raises recommended by the board have always been accepted as final, and the approval at Washington simply a matter of routine.

A Relic of Very Ancient Days

One of the old dwellings on Seavey's Island formerly occupied by the yard employes is being removed and will soon go up in smoke on the dump.

SEVEN INJURED

Three of Them Severely in a Train Wreck in Yard at Manchester

In a collision of the East Manchester shifter with an extra freight over the Portsmouth branch at Manchester yard at 1:50 o'clock Saturday afternoon the engineers and conductors of both trains were injured, the fireman of the extra was shaken up and two brakemen received injuries of a severe nature.

Those most seriously injured were Charles S. Jenness, conductor on the shifter.

Amedee Bouchard, brakeman of the shifter.

Nathan F. Bean, engineer of the extra.

Moses Morey, John Dreau and A. T. Benson, brakeman on the shifter, and Frank Nault, conductor, and Jim Wallace, fireman of the extra, were shaken up and severely bruised.

This wreck was exclusively announced in the Portsmouth Herald on Saturday, but the names of the injured were not obtainable in time for the paper to go to press. The Herald, as usual, was ahead.

Engineer Nathan F. Bean is at the Elliot hospital with a punctured lung and several broken ribs, in a very serious but not necessarily critical condition. Conductor Charles S. Jenness is also at the Elliot hospital with an injured head and knee; Brakeman Amedee F. Boucher is at the Sacred Heart hospital with a bruised head and injuries of the hip and shoulder.

CHARLES P. ABBOTT DEAD

Well Known Citizen Passes Away at His Home on Union Street

Mr. Charles P. Abbott, a well known veteran and citizen of this city, passed away at his home on Union street, shortly before one o'clock on Sunday, after an illness of but a few weeks.

Mr. Abbott was born in Ossipee, Dec. 15, 1838, and when a young man moved to this city, and for a time resided in Rye. During the civil war he enlisted, but his company were retained at Fort Constitution for guard duty. He was a well known carpenter, and has been employed at the navy yard the greater part of the time since.

He served for a time on the police force, and has since acted as a special officer. He was also for a long time a member of the Hook and Ladder company. Mr. Abbott was a staunch Republican, and served his party on the board of assessors and as overseer of the poor.

He was a member of New Hampshire Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F., and Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R.

He leaves a wife, two sons, Charles and Arthur, both residents of Boston, and a daughter, a resident of Rye.

PERSONALS

Bailey Emery has returned from a week's visit in Lawrence, Mass.

Miss Isabel D. Davidson returned duties as teacher at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Craig of Washington street are passing the day in Boston.

Sydney Drowne of Newburyport passed Sunday with his father in this city.

Hon. M. Perry Sargent of Amesbury, Mass., was in the city today on legal business.

Wendell L. Peterson of Beverly, Mass., passed Saturday in this city, his former home.

Miss Annie Goss of Rye Center Hampshire State Normal School, Plymouth, this morning.

Harold B. Garland of Harvard returned to his studies on Sunday, after a week's visit at Rye.

Miss Winifred Winslow of Islington street returned yesterday to Beverly, where she is teaching.

Mrs. Harry Wendell, South street, passed Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilman, in Somerville.

Mrs. C. H. Pratt and daughter Jeannette of Market street have returned from a visit to Peekskill, N. Y.

Mrs. Mary P. Harris of Pleasant street has closed her home and gone to Boston, where she will pass the winter.

Hector Kingsbury returned to Harvard last night, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Richards.

Mamie O. Richards returned to Harvard last night, after passing the holidays with his parents in this city.

Mr. Curtis Matthews of Bowdoin College, who has been passing the holidays here returns today to his studies.

Master Phillip Noyes of Somerville, who has been the guest of his grandmother in Kittery, returned home on Saturday.

Harry W. Blaisdell left on Sunday for Baltimore to resume his studies at the Dental Department of the University of Maryland.

Samuel Whidden of Harvard has returned to Cambridge after passing the holidays with relatives in this city.

Miss Corilla Eggelston of the high school teaching staff, returned on Sunday from Keene, where she has been on her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Schurman of Concord passed Sunday as the guests of her mother, Mrs. Samuel Gardner of Pleasant street.

Mr. C. C. Harvey of Waterbury, Conn., who has been visiting friends in this city, returned this morning to his studies at Tilton Seminary.

Miss Ruth Smith, a teacher at the high school, who has been passing the vacation at her home in Holyoke, Mass., has returned to resume her duties.

Charles Matthews, who is employed as an engineer on the big dam being built at Hinsdale, N. H., is passing a few days with his parents in this city.

Miss Anna Winslow returns this morning to Tilton Seminary after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winslow Islington street.

John Driscoll, who has been passing the Christmas vacation with his parents in this city, returned to his studies at St. Anselm's College, Manchester, today.

Walter Marston, transfer agent for the American Express at the depot, will shortly leave for Guthrie, Oklahoma, where he will pass the remainder of the winter.

Charles Tucker of Kittery, of the University of Maine, is playing with the orchestra club which has been playing through this section. He has been recently appointed assistant instructor in the engineering department.

MUCH THIEVING AT SALISBURY BEACH

Cottages Looted That Still Stood After The Fires

Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 4.—Wholesale thievery among the cottages of Salisbury Beach the past few weeks has just been brought to light, when it was discovered that the Rocks cottage, owned by Rev. Father Welsh of Roxbury, and another cottage at Seabrook Beach, owned by a Haverhill man named Durkee, had been entered and a large amount of valuable household goods taken.

The break was discovered by a resident of the beach, who was walking along the beach, when he found a sheet on the sand in front of the Rocks cottage. He at once suspected that something was wrong and started to investigate.

Going to the back part of the cottage a window was found broken. On making a further investigation it was discovered that every room in the house had been ransacked. Trunks that had been locked were pried open with some instrument and what was valuable was taken.

Rev. Father Welsh was notified and he came to the beach and on looking over the house found that a large amount of bedding and a field glass was stolen.

The following day at Capt. Charles of the life saving station and his men were patrolling the beach another cottage at Seabrook beach was found to have been entered. As in the former cottage the entire house was ransacked, but as the owner has not yet made an inventory it is not possible to state the amount of goods stolen.

Chief Samuel Beckman was notified and he at once started an investigation, but up to the present time no clue could be run down that would lead to an arrest.

MANSON—BROADMAN

Burton F. Manson and Miss Charlotte Broadman, both of Warren, Me., were married at city hall on Saturday afternoon by City Clerk Lamont Hilton.



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